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For : SKIN AND HAIR CARE PREPARATION CONTAINING A  
COMBINATION OF PROTEIN HYDROLYSATES**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97-1.98 and supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statement filed November 9, 2007, Applicants hereby direct the Examiner's attention to the following additional documents which are cited in the International Search Report for International Application PCT/EP2004/01085, of which the above-referenced application is a National Stage:

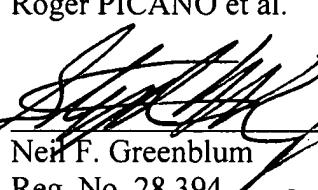
- 1) ANONYMOUS: "Seide aus dem Meer" INTERNET ARTICLE, 'Online! January 2001 (2001-01), XP002314126 Retrieved from the Internet:  
URL:<http://www.impag.de/german/kosmetik/index.htm?http://www.impag.de/german/kosmetik/z8seide.htm> 'retrieved on 2004-01-18;
- 2) DATABASE PROMT 'Online! STN INTERNATIONAL; XP002314127 Database accession no. 2004:76834: "The magic of molluscs" EUROPEAN COSMETIC MARKETS, vol. 21, no. 2, February 2004 (2004-02), page 75.

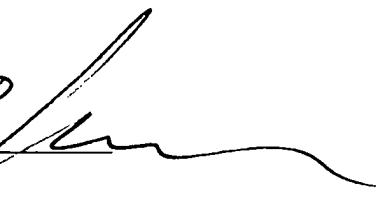
Copies of the above-listed documents are enclosed together with a completed copy of the Form PTO-1449 listing these documents. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to consider these documents and to indicate such consideration by returning a signed and initialed copy of the Form PTO-1449 with the next communication.

Applicants note that an Office Action on the merits has not yet issued in the instant application, and thus, no fee is necessary to ensure consideration of this statement. However, if an Office Action has issued and is crossing in the mail with this statement, the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 19-0089 any fee necessary to ensure consideration of the submitted materials.

If there should be any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

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